



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
U.S. ARMY MILITARY DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
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REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

ANCG

14 JUN, 2013

MEMORANDUM FOR CPT (b) (7)(C)

SUBJECT: Grant of Testimonial Immunity

1. As an officer empowered to convene general courts-martial and pursuant to Rule for Courts-Martial (R.C.M.) 704, I hereby make the following findings:

a. You possess information relevant to the pending court martial - United States v. PFC Bradley Manning.


b. Based on your privilege against self-incrimination, you may refuse to fully convey the information you possess regarding this case.

c. Your testimony before any court-martial that may be convened to try PFC Manning, and your cooperation with law enforcement officials and counsel investigating allegations that may result in such proceedings, is necessary to the public interest, including the needs of good order and discipline of this command.

2. Based on the above facts and pursuant to R.C.M. 704, I hereby order you to fully cooperate with and provide truthful and complete information to law enforcement officials and counsel during the investigation of PFC Manning, and to further provide truthful and complete testimony before any administrative board or court-martial convened to process or try PFC Manning.

3. No testimony or other information given by you pursuant to this order or any information directly or indirectly derived from such testimony shall be used against you in a criminal case or under Article 15, UCMJ, except in a prosecution for perjury, giving a false statement, or otherwise failing to comply with this order.

4. The grant of immunity embodied in this order constitutes a grant of testimonial immunity pursuant to R.C.M. 704(a)(2) and becomes effective upon service on (b) (7)(C) by the trial counsel assigned to United States v. PFC Bradley Manning.


MICHAEL S. LINNINGTON
Major General, U.S. Army
Commanding

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